

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



Applicant(s): Dietz, *et al.*  
Application No.: 10/684,776  
Filed: October 14, 2003  
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
MONITORING TRAFFIC IN A NETWORK

Group Art Unit: 2157  
Examiner: Moustafa M. Meky

**TRANSMITTAL: RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action for the above referenced application. Included with the response are:

A Declaration under 37 CFR 1.131 with Exhibits;

This application has:

a small entity status. If a claim for such status has not earlier been made, consider this as a claim for small entity status.  
 No additional fee is required.

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Date: Mar. 2, 2005

Signed: Amy Drury  
Name: Amy Drury

Applicant(s) believe(s) that no Extension of Time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for an extension of time.

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) of:

one months (\$120)       two months (\$450)  
 three months (\$1020)       four months (\$1590)

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this as a petition therefor.

A credit card payment form for the required fee(s) is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0292 (A DUPLICATE OF THIS TRANSMITTAL IS ATTACHED):

Any missing filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of additional claims.  
 Any missing extension or petition fees required under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully Submitted,

Mar. 2, 2005

Date



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# TRANSMITTAL FORM

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Group Art Unit

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Examiner Name

Moustafa M. Meky

Attorney Docket Number

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## ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

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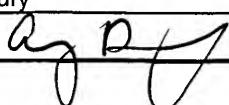
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